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Magalie Roman Salas, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, N.W., Room 222
Washington, D.C. 20554

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Re: *Ex Parte* Presentation in CC Docket No. 92-77

Dear Ms. Salas:

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(a) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(a) (1997), this is to provide an original and one copy of a notice of an *ex parte* presentation made yesterday afternoon in the above-referenced proceeding on behalf of Cleartel Communications, Inc. ("Cleartel"), by Hope G. Colantonio, Jeff Petrarca, Stephen R. Roberts and the undersigned, to Adrien Auger, Anita Cheng, Kurt Schroeder and Robert Spangler of the Enforcement Division, Common Carrier Bureau. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss Cleartel's request for waiver of the FCC's on-demand rate disclosure requirement for all non-access calls (0+ calls). Copies of the attached written materials were provided to the FCC participants at the meeting. Cleartel respectfully requests that these materials be incorporated into its request for waiver filed on April 9, 1998 in connection with the Joint Petition for Reconsideration.

Should any further information be required with respect to this *ex parte* notice, please do not hesitate to contact me. I would also appreciate it if you would date-stamp the enclosed extra copy of this filing and return it with the messenger to acknowledge receipt by the Commission.

Very truly yours,

Kathleen L. Greenan

Enclosures
cc: Robert W. Spangler, Deputy Chief
       Kurt Schroeder, Chief
       Adrien R. Auger, Esq.
       Anita Cheng, Esq.
       Hope Colantonio, Legal & Regulatory Affairs Administrator
       Stephen R. Roberts, Vice President of Sales
       Jeff Petrarca, Manager of Product Development

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PRICE DISCLOSURE – RATE QUOTE

Cleartel's planned solution for providing end-users a quality, cost efficient, rate quotation system is implementation of an automated rate quotation system. We estimate implementation of a fully tested, quality automated rate quotation system will require 12 to 15 months. Development of an automated system will allow Cleartel to quickly and efficiently provide automated rate quotes without delay or interruption to end-users.

An interim solution with live operators providing rate information will be a lower grade of service to Cleartel end-users combined with financial hardships to Cleartel. We anticipate queue times to a live operator to increase substantially. Cleartel's live operator center was relocated to the Dominican Republic in July of 1995. In order to handle live operator rate quotations, Cleartel would need to expand its network facilities to the Dominican Republic. Due to this remote location, it will take several months just to implement the purchasing, shipping and installation of both equipment and circuits.

Information systems and programming resources are at a premium in the telecommunications industry. Creating a quality solution will require financial and development resources.

Additionally, Cleartel will need clarification on USF, taxation, and pricing calls after live intervention.

ESTIMATED COST FOR DEVELOPMENT OF AN INTERIM SOLUTION WITH LIVE OPERATORS

➢ NONRECURRING COSTS

COMPRESSION EQUIPMENT	$172,000
MULTIPLEXOR	$102,000
PORTS FOR OPERATOR POSITIONS	$ 32,000
OPERATOR WORKSTATIONS (LIVE)	$ 30,000
AUTOMATED STATIONS	$120,000
CONNECTORS (MISC)	$ 10,000
CHANNEL BANKS	$ 15,000
DEVELOPMENT COST	$ 70,000
TOTAL	*$551,000*

➢ REOCCURRING COST

E-1	$22,000
OPERATOR TRANSACTION COST	$ 0.40 *(PER TRANSACTION)*

ESTIMATED COST FOR DEVELOPMENT OF A LONG TERM SOLUTION WITH AUTOMATION OF RATE QUOTES

➢ NONRECURRING COSTS

AUTOMATED RATE QUOTE PLATFORMS	$ 25,000
ADDITIONAL OPERATOR POSITIONS	$120,000
CHANNEL BANKS	$ 15,000
PORTS FOR OPERATOR POSITIONS	$ 16,000
DEVELOPMENT COST	$ 70,000
TOTAL	*$246,000*

➢ RECURRING COSTS

UNCERTAIN ABOUT EFFECT ON LIVE OPERATOR POSITIONS

Cleartel Operator Call Processing

▨	= Present System
■	= Future System

Payphone

Digital Central Office
Washington, D.C.

Automated
Operator Position
Washington, D.C.

Live Operator Center